November 26th 1675.

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Ordered by the Court here that the Secretary take the appearances of the Attornyes in the new actions returnable this Court, amerce the Sheriff if no Attorny appeare for the party arrested, grant attachments & take Speciall Baile. To which end the Secretary doth Order & appoint all the Attornyes to attend him at the Secretaryes Office On Saturday Sevenight next.

The Court adjourned untill the eighth day of ffebruary next which said Court then to be held was by his Lopp writ of adjournmt adjourned to St Johns there to be held the ninth day of the Same

ffebruary.

Maryland ss.

Att a Provinciall Court holden at St Johns the ninth day of ffebru- p. 31 ary One thousand Six hundred Seventy five and there continued untill the twelfth day of the Same month.

Att which said ninth day were prsent.

The Honble

Charles Calvert Esq Governour and Cheife justice Philip Calvert Esq Chancellour W<sup>m</sup> Calvert Esc Principall Secretary Baker Brooke Esg

Inº Blomfeild C1.

Then was Swithin Wells Gent admitted and Sworne One of the Attorneys of this Court.

Then was read this Inquisition following vizt The Inquisition made by Us whose names are hereunder written Chosen and Sworne jurors by virtue of a writt directed Out of the Chancery beareing date the eighth of July 1675 and directed to Major Wm Burges & John Welsh Gent.

Imprimis

Wee find that John Clarke was drowned in ffebruary 1672 and his heire was drowned in May 1675 and Wee find no heire or relation in this Province The land which belonged unto him was One hundred acres of land taken up by him by Patent but fifty acres thereof Sold formerly unto George Walker for that there remaines but fifty. the rent Since his decease hath bin paid by Robert Wade the Land worth p annum two hundred pounds of tobacco and holden of the Mannour of Ann Arundell in free and Comon Soccage and hath bin in the Occupation of the said Robert Wade Since the death of the Said John Clarke by Order of Court towards the maintenance of the Orphant. Given under Our hands & Seales this tenth day of August in the 44th yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c Annog Dom 1675.

W<sup>m</sup> Burges (sealed) John Welsh (sealed)

the marke of Henry **R** Ridgely (sealed)

the marke of

Gabriel P Parrett (sealed)